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TOWN AND CITY CLERK BRISTOL, CT

Dr. and Mrs. Gerard E. Bogucki 68 Empire Way Bristol, Ct 06010

Tel: 860-589-8838

City Clerk, City of Bristol Bristol, Ct 06010

January 24, 2022

RE: Damage to our mailbox from City snowplow

Dear City Clerk:

As instructed by your website, we are contacting you to place a claim for damage to our mailbox by a City of Bristol snowplow. The damage to the supporting bracket is indicative of a side blow from a plow. The pattern of snow removal confirmed that the mailbox was in the path of the plow.

Our pertinent information:

Date of occurrence: 01/17/2022

Damage: Fracture to the supporting bracket, now cracked, loose and in damage of complete

failure

Location: 68 Empire Way, Bristol, bottom of our driveway

How it occurred: City of Bristol snow plow.

Estimate of damage: Copy of Receipt included, see additional comments below.

Claimants: Gerard and Jayne Bogucki

68 Empire Way Bristol, Ct 06010 Tel: 860-589-8838

When we reported the incident to the Public Works office, we were informed that the site would be inspected and a standard post and galvanized mailbox would be installed. Since the ground is frozen, this seems a difficult thing to accomplish. What we have in place is a Walpole granite pillar with bracket and mailbox and we would like to reproduce what we originally had. We have contacted Walpole and ordered the replacement parts along with a new mailbox. They will install the repair parts for us. We are looking to the City of Bristol to reimburse us for the cost of the bracket, which is \$183. Enclosed is the invoice confirming our purchase from Walpole. We feel that this request is warranted and reasonable, and we hope you will address the issue in a timely fashion. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Very truly yours,

Dr. And Mrs. Gerard E. Bogucki

Account ID: 07-5898838

JERRY BOGUCKI 68 EMPIRE WAY BRISTOL, CT 06010	JERRY BOGUCKI
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1	062	SELECTIONS INS	SELECTIONS INSTALLATION		Install arm, replace bolts, redrill post if required
				Sub-total:	\$542.00
				Estimated	\$34.42
				Sales Tax:	
				Grand-Total:	\$576.42
				Paid:	\$576.42

Balance Due: \$0.00

Thank you for your Order!

1079 Farmington Ave, Farmington, CT 06032



City of Bristol Office of Town and City Clerk 111 North Main Street Bristol, Connecticut 06010 (860) 584-6200 ext. 0

January 24, 2022

Dr. & Mrs. Gerard E. Bogucki 68 Empire Way Bristol, Connecticut 06010

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Bogucki:

My office received your mailbox claim against the City of Bristol and forwarded it to the Claims Division and the Board of Public Works for further investigation.

Please note that my office's only responsibility is to refer the claim. We are not involved in its resolution or disposition. Any future communications will arrive from the Claims Division or the Public Works Department.

If you require additional information concerning your claim, please contact:

Department of Public Works 111 North Main Street Bristol, Connecticut 06010 Telephone: (860)584-6125

Very truly yours,

Merina Bigos Assistant Town and City Clerk

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cc: Claims Division Corporation Counsel Public Works